Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 25 Jun 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 26 Jun 2022

Forecast Issued on Friday 24 Jun 2022 at 15:09 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for a lot of dry weather on Saturday but lower confidence on shower detail on Sunday and Monday.

Headline for Saturday 25 Jun 2022: Mainly dry. Sunny spells developing. A few showers at first and again in afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 25 Jun 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Heavy rain showers (night)	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability							
40%	40%	30%	20%	10%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Saturday 25 Jun 2022

Weather: Cloudy at first but last of overnight showers soon dying out. Then much of the day will be dry and bright with sunny spells developing. A few sharp showers will break out during afternoon and early evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 50% improving 80% during morning.

Low cloud and visibility: Generally very good visibility with extensive cloud cover at first around 700 to 800m, lifting and breaking up during morning. A few brief reductions in visibility as showers coming along in afternoon with patches of cloud lower down.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	19/23 E	20/25 E	24/30 S	27/36 S	24/32 S	23/32 S	17/25 SE	21/28 SE	19/26 SE
900	17/21 E	20/25 E	22/28 S	27/35 S	23/32 S	23/32 S	17/24 SE	20/27 SE	18/25 SE
600	11/16 E	14/20 E	17/24 S	23/31 S	19/28 S	18/27 S	13/21 SE	13/20 SE	13/20 SE
300	2/14 E	3/17 E	6/20 S	10/27 S	9/26 S	10/28 S	6/20 SE	5/20 SE	3/19 E
Glen	5/11 E	10/19 E	8/18 S	13/24 S	13/25 S	13/26 S	10/20 SE	7/17 E	8/19 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	11/8	10/6	8/4	7/2	8/4	9/4	9/5	7/3	6/1
900	11/8	10/7	9/5	8/3	9/5	10/6	10/6	8/4	6/2
600	14/12	12/10	11/8	10/7	12/8	12/9	12/10	10/8	9/6
300	15/15	14/14	13/12	14/12	15/13	15/13	15/14	13/12	11/10
Glen	17/17	16/15	15/14	16/13	18/15	17/14	18/16	15/14	13/12
Freezing Level*	2700m	2700m	2500m	1700m	1800m	1800m	1900m	1800m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing to add.

Forecast for Sunday 26 Jun 2022
Weather: Mainly dry, bright start. Clouds building during morning with scattered showers in the afternoon and evening. Some heavier showers in south of area but fewer and lighter over north Highlands.

Maximum wind: Strong southeasterly winds over higher ridges and summits, average speeds of 20 to 30mph and gusts 45mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70% in north, decreasing 40% in south in afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Good visibility with well broken clouds at first, above many of the tops. Clouds becoming extensive as showers develop about 700 to 800m with patches of poor visibility as heavier showers pass by.

Temperature: **Glens:** 10 Celsius rising to 17 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 10 Celsius.
Freezing level: Staying above the summits.

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